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# AMERICAN PROFESSIONAL Saxophones

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American Professional Saxophones have for years been leaders. They are found everywhere in the hands of prominent musicians, both professional and amateur.

ulated G# key, Bb plate for first finger of left hand, F to Gb trill key, are included. All instruments are supplied with fine rubber mouthpiece, mouthpiece cap, music rack, neck strap, screw driver.

The experienced saxophonist will at once find every little detail to measure up to his exacting standard. Intonation, evenness of scale, perfect tone, easy playing qualities—he will be impressed with these important features from the start.

Great care is taken in adjusting the saxophone keys and springs. As a result the action is light, responsive, quiet. Metallic noises, so characteristic of many saxophones when rapid 2-584 ution is

attempted, are entirely elimin:

## RICH, BEAUTIFU

After all, the most import tone. American Professional have that. Faultless tone is tifically correct body thickn tions of the bell, and careful we out.

## PAD ECONO

Pad economy is something saxophonist. The body socked Professional Saxophones are face. This means that they will have been pads, in addition to lasting the pads, in addition to lasting the pads of adjustment example.

#### FINAL INSPECTION

Final inspection before the saxophone leaves us assures you of receiving a perfect instrument. Everything is inspected—workmanship, adjustment of keys and finish particularly. Every instrument is tested with reed and mouthpiece intended for it.

#### **PITCH**

All American Professional Saxophones are in International or low pitch 440.

#### **FEATURES**

Extra key, enabling player to pass low Bb to Eb; Bb to Eb key; extra key to trill G to Ab, and a greatly improved form of automatic single octave key. All standard fingerings, such as the artic-

ulated G# key, Bb plate for first finger of left hand, F to Gb trill key, are included. All instruments are supplied with fine rubber mouthpiece, mouthpiece cap, music rack, neck strap, screw driver, extra reeds and instruction chart. All this means much to the professional—and to the beginner unfamiliar with the saxophone it means protection. All American Professional Saxophones are furnished with pearl keys and ebonized rollers.

## SO EASY TO LEARN

To play the saxophone is not a question of un-

bility. Modern methods of innade it possible for everyone to practice for a short period of time d results. Do not let the thought alent hold you from the joys that young a musical instrument yourself.

## GOOD TIMES

alone a saxophone is a cheerful when you are with your friends music they enjoy listening and lless good times are opened to rties, club meetings, home orchesed with music, song, laughter and

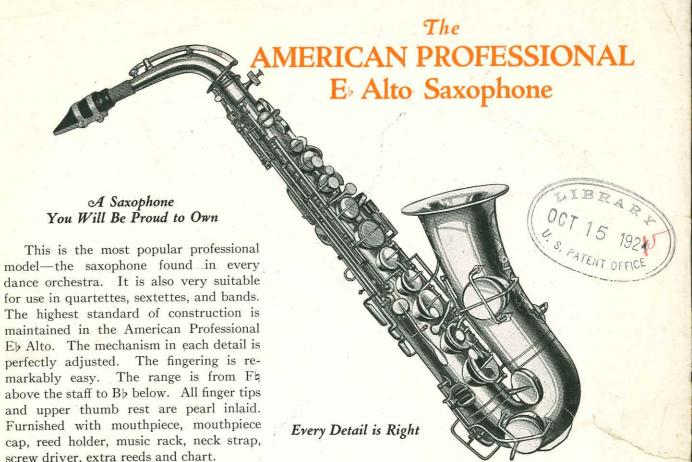
### POPULARITY

I. Notice how much in demand y a musical instrument. Young out. They are wanted for interings of every kind. About the winter, and at the beaches, the

resorts and outdoor places of amusement in summer, they are always the center of attraction.

## MONEY

There is another angle that should not be over-looked; it is the professional field. The saxophone offers bright futures to young men and women. The salaries in this field are very alluring, and the demand for players is always increasing. You may have other ambitions; but it is well to have an accomplishment that you can rely upon to bring you a comfortable income, should the occasion arise. Saxophonists earn, for a few hours' pleasurable work, a gratifying salary. They are living examples of the desirability of playing the saxophone.





This outfit contains the American Professional Eb Alto Saxophone described above, with all accessories regularly furnished with the instrument, including mouthpiece, mouthpiece cap, reed holder, music rack, neck strap, screw driver, extra reeds and chart. The case has a sturdy wood body, black seal grain Keratol covered, velvet lined, leather handle, steel valance. All metal parts are nickel plated. There are two compartments for accessories. A self-instruction book is included.

No. 2531X. Outfit with saxophone in Finish 1...\$101.00 No. 2533X. Outfit with saxophone in Finish 3... 136.00

## **PRICES** Eb Alto Saxophone No. 2531. Finish 1, brass, highly polished.....\$ 90.00 No. 2533. Finish 3, triple silver plated, satin finish; hand burnished keys; inside of bell heavily gold plated and hand burnished ... 125.00 No. 2535. Finish 5, gold plated all over, satin finish, with hand bur-No. 2536. Finish 6, De Luxe, gold plated and hand burnished all over. Price on request. Eb Alto Case FACH No. 3003. Same as shown in outfit on this page..... \$ 10.50

Play Simple Melodies in an Hour

# You Can Play a Simple Melody in an Hour

**AMERICAN PROFESSIONAL** 

C Melody Saxophone

The Popular Home Instrument

This is the ideal home instrument. The young person who wishes to take up the saxophone principally for personal enjoyment will find the C Melody the easiest to learn. Vocal, piano, violin, flute, oboe and 'cello parts can be played without transposing. The beauty of this saxophone's tone is a delight to the ear. The key action, due to careful adjustment, is light and easy, assuring rapid and sure fingering of complicated passages. The range is an octave lower than that of the C Soprano. All finger tips and upper thumb rest are pearl inlaid. Mouthpiece, mouthpiece cap, music rack, neck strap, screw driver, extra reeds and instruction chart are furnished with each instrument.

## C Melody Saxophone Outfit



This outfit contains the American Professional C Melody Saxophone described above, with all accessories regularly furnished with the instrument, including mouthpiece, mouthpiece cap, reed holder, music rack, neck strap, screw driver, extra reeds and chart. The case has a sturdy wood body, black seal grain Keratol covered, velvet lined, leather handle, steel valance. All metal parts are nickel plated. There are two compartments for accessories. A self-instruction book is included.

No. 2541X. Outfit with saxophone in Finish 1...\$106.75 No. 2533X. Outfit with saxophone in Finish 3... 141.75

#### **PRICES**

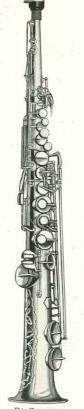
Price on request.

C Melody Case

No. 3004. Same as shown in outfit EACH on this page..... \$ 11.25

Golden Opportunities Await the Saxophonist

## AMERICAN PROFESSIONAL Soprano Saxophones





## Bb SOPRANO SAXOPHONE

Straight Model Equipped with Special High E & F Keys

The Bb Soprano Saxophone in the straight model is finding much favor with orchestra players. It has a tone of vibrant richness and color. Every player of a Bb Tenor model should have this instrument for doubling purposes. The range is from Bb below the staff to Eb above. Furnished with pearl keys and ebonized rollers. Mouthpiece, mouthpiece cap, music rack, neck strap, screw driver, extra reeds and chart are supplied with each instrument.

		EACH
No. 2511.	Finish 1	
No. 2513.	Finish 3	
No. 2515.	Finish 5	
No 2516	Finish 6	Price on request

#### Bb SOPRANO SAXOPHONE

Curved Model

Equipped with Special High E & F Keys

This soprano is a very beautiful model. It is gracefully formed, and, aside from its tonal qualities, it appeals to the eye. This is the latest design. The tone, intonation and accuracy of construction will satisfy the exacting professional. The range is from Bb below the staff to Eb above. All finger tips and upper thumb rest are pearl inlaid. Furnished

finger tips and upper thumb rest are pearl inlaid. Furnished with mouthpiece, mouthpiece cap, music rack, neck strap, screw driver, extra reeds and chart.

No. 2521.	Finish 1
No. 2523.	Finish 3
No. 2525.	Finish 5
	Finish 6. Price on request.

#### C SOPRANO SAXOPHONE

### Straight Model

The C Soprano Saxophone plays flute, violin or oboe parts as written. No transposing is necessary. Also plays from piano music or voice parts. Especially suited for church and choir work. The range is from Bb below the staff to Eb above. All finger tips and upper thumb rest are pearl inlaid. Furnished with mouthpiece, mouthpiece cap, music rack, neck strap, screw driver, extra reeds and chart.

	EACH	
No. 2501.	Finish 1	
No. 2503.	Finish 3 110.00	
No. 2505.	Finish 5	
No. 2506.	Finish 6. Price on request.	

#### FINISHES

Finish 1—Brass, highly polished.
Finish 3—Triple silver plated, satin finish; hand burnished keys; inside of bell heavily gold plated and hand

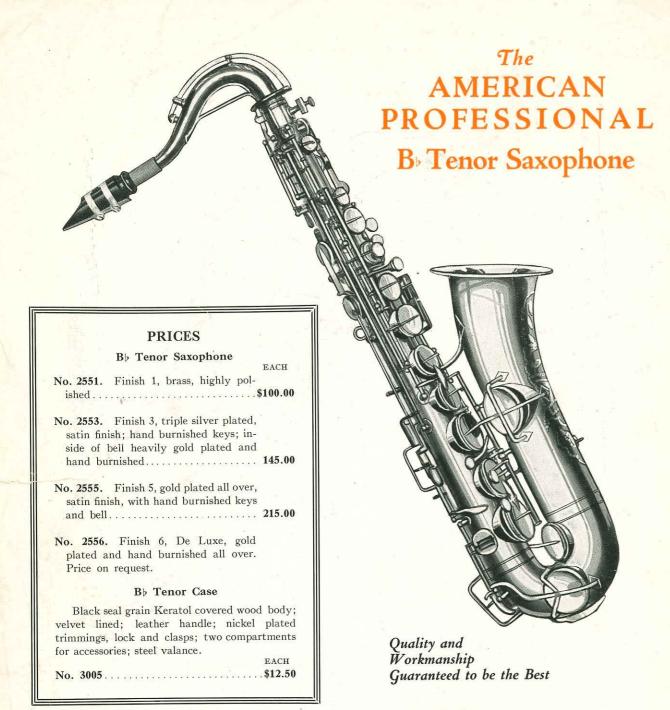
Finish 5-Gold plated all over, satin finish with hand bur-

nished keys and bell.

Finish 6—De Luxe gold plated and hand burnished all over.

Black seal grain Keratol covered; wood body; velvet lined; leather handle; nickel plated trimmings, lock and clasps; steel valance.

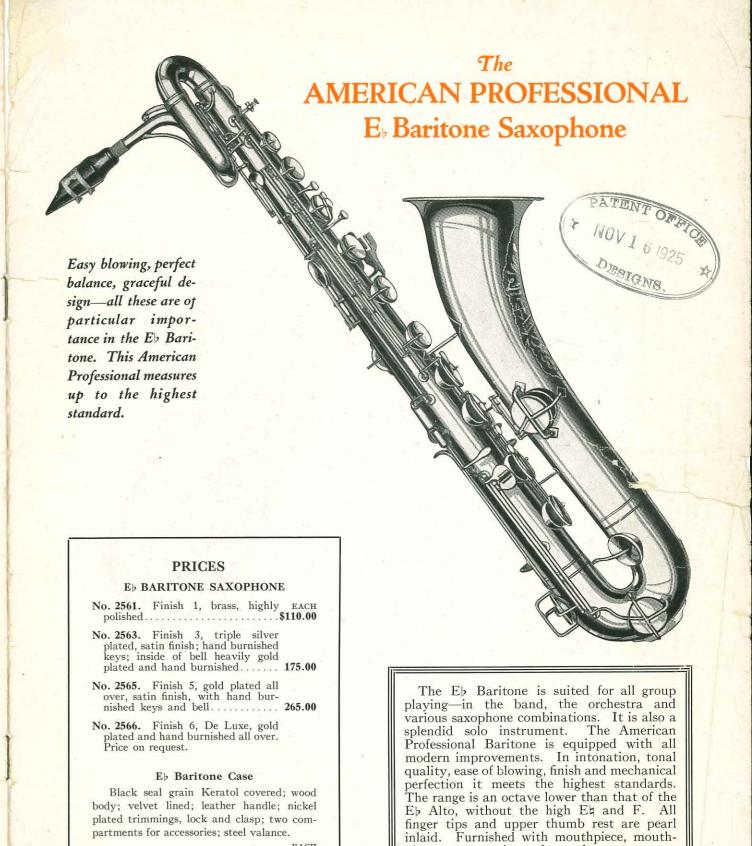
	EACH
No. 3000.	For curved model Bb Soprano Saxophone. \$8.75
No. 3001.	For straight model Bb Soprano Saxophone. 8.25
No. 3002.	For straight model C Soprano Saxophone. 7.50



### Bb TENOR SAXOPHONE

The Tenor Saxophone continues to rise in popularity. It is a favorite dance orchestra instrument. Its mellow voice makes it an indispensable part of saxophone quartettes, sextettes, and octettes. In the band, trombone and other parts can be played without transposing. The splendid tone and action of the American Professional Tenor makes it an instrument upon which the player can do his best work. The range is an octave lower than that of the Bb Soprano Saxophone, but it has two additional high tones, Et and F. All finger tips and upper thumb rest are pearl inlaid. Furnished with mouthpiece, mouthpiece cap, music rack, neck strap, screw driver, extra reeds and chart.

Unusual Musical Talent Is Not Necessary



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plated trimmings, lock and clasp; two compartments for accessories; steel valance.

No. 3006.....

piece cap, music rack, neck strap, screw

driver, extra reeds and chart.

## "How an Hour's Daily Practice on the Saxophone Brought Me a Salary I Dared Not Dream of a Year Ago"



"The saxophone outfit cost me about \$110.00. It was an instrument that produced returns a hundred-fold and more."



"I found a good teacher. The first lesson brought the enthusiasm of a boy with a new bicycle to me."



"Practice was great fun.
I surprised myself by being
able to pick out 'Home,
Sweet Home' in an hour."



"With progress came side-jobs. I soon paid for my instrument and lessons, and had many hours of enjoyment besides."



"Now I am with a famous dance orchestra, at a salary that exceeds my fondest hopes of a year ago."

## A True Story

This is a true story of the progress made by a young man who capitalized his ability to play. It has been repeated thousands of times, everywhere in the country. It can be repeated in *your* case. When you consider that you need no unusual musical ability to learn, is there any good reason for delay? You need only say to yourself, "I am going to do it; I will not let other things interfere." For beginning is half the deed.